

# New Physics at the Tevatron (a few selected topics)

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# Selection of Topics

- Light stops: Motivation and searches at the Tevatron collider.

R-Parity conserving models : Pair production

Dark matter and the stop-neutralino mass difference.

R-Parity violating models: Single stop production

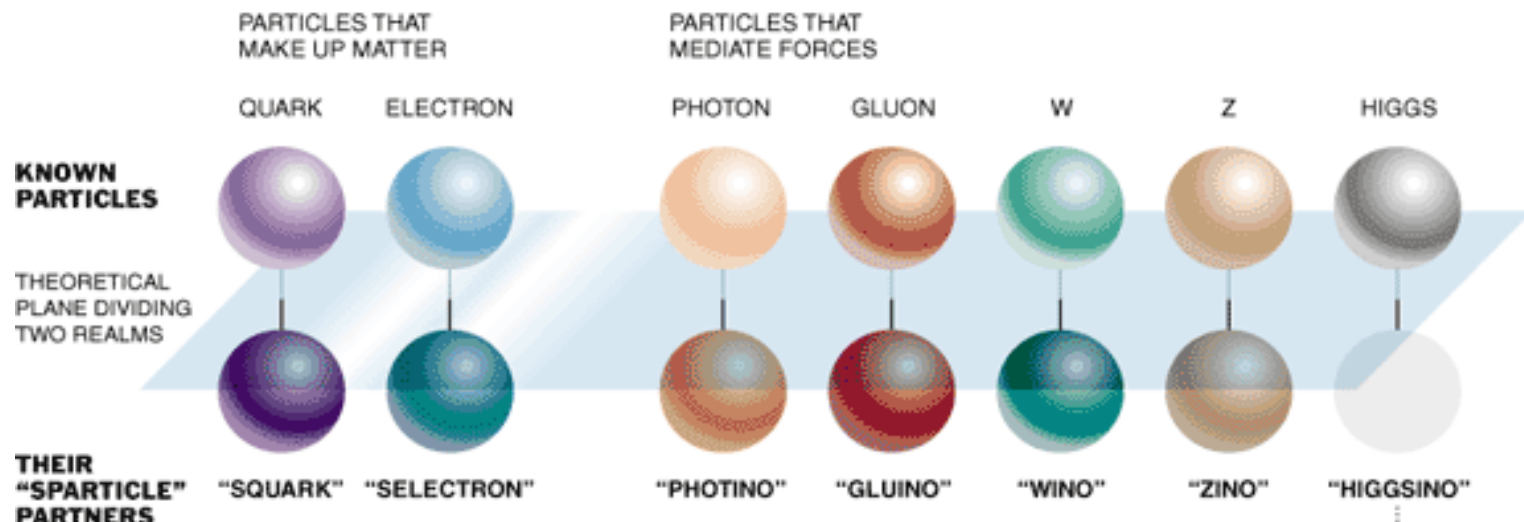
- Photon signatures in low-energy supersymmetry breaking models
- Light sbottoms and gluinos: Motivation and signatures
- Heavy quarks: Motivation and signatures
- Higgs searches

# supersymmetry

fermions



bosons



*Photino, Zino and Neutral Higgsino: Neutralinos*

*Charged Wino, charged Higgsino: Charginos*

***Particles and Sparticles share the same couplings to the Higgs. Two superpartners of the two quarks (one for each chirality) couple strongly to the Higgs with a Yukawa coupling of order one (same as the top-quark Yukawa coupling)***

# Why Supersymmetry ?

- Helps to stabilize the weak scale—Planck scale hierarchy
- Supersymmetry algebra contains the generator of space-time translations.  
Necessary ingredient of theory of quantum gravity.
- Minimal supersymmetric extension of the SM :  
Leads to Unification of gauge couplings.
- Starting from positive masses at high energies, electroweak symmetry breaking is induced radiatively.
- If discrete symmetry,  $P = (-1)^{3B+L+2S}$  is imposed, lightest SUSY particle neutral and stable: Excellent candidate for cold Dark Matter.

# Light Stops: Motivation

- In low energy supersymmetry models, light stops are induced as a consequence of large mixing or large negative radiative effects.
- They are required for the realization of the mechanism of electroweak baryogenesis in the MSSM
- Signatures of a light stop at the Tevatron collider depend strongly on the chargino and neutralino spectrum as well as on the nature of supersymmetry breaking

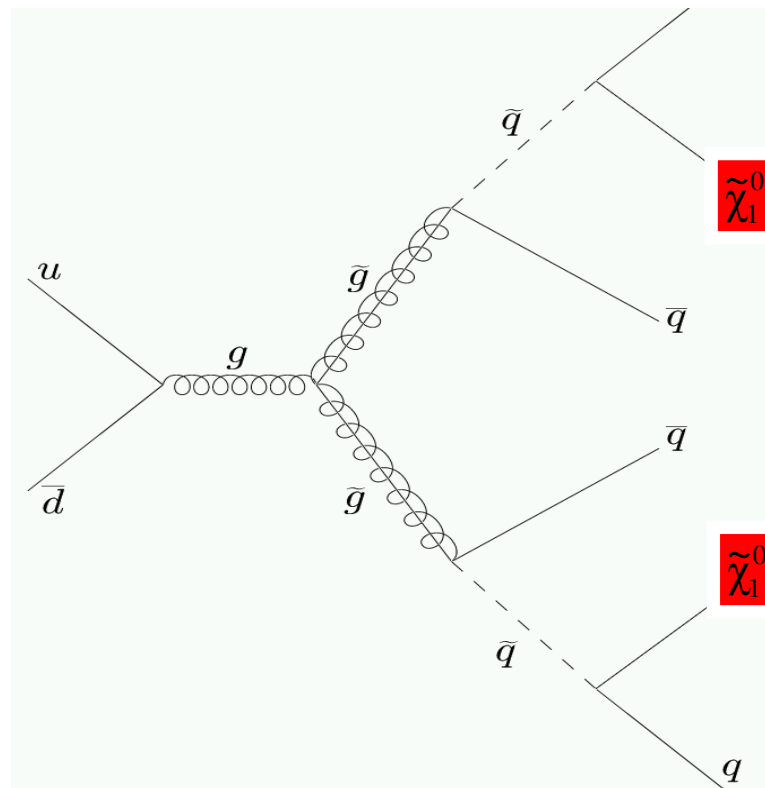
# Supersymmetry at colliders

## Gluino production and decay: Missing Energy Signature

*Supersymmetric  
Particles tend to  
be heavier if they  
carry color charges.*

*Particles with large  
Yukawas tend to be  
lighter.*

*Charge-less particles  
tend to be the  
lightest ones.*



- Lightest supersymmetric particle = Excellent Cold dark matter candidate.

# Stop mass matrix

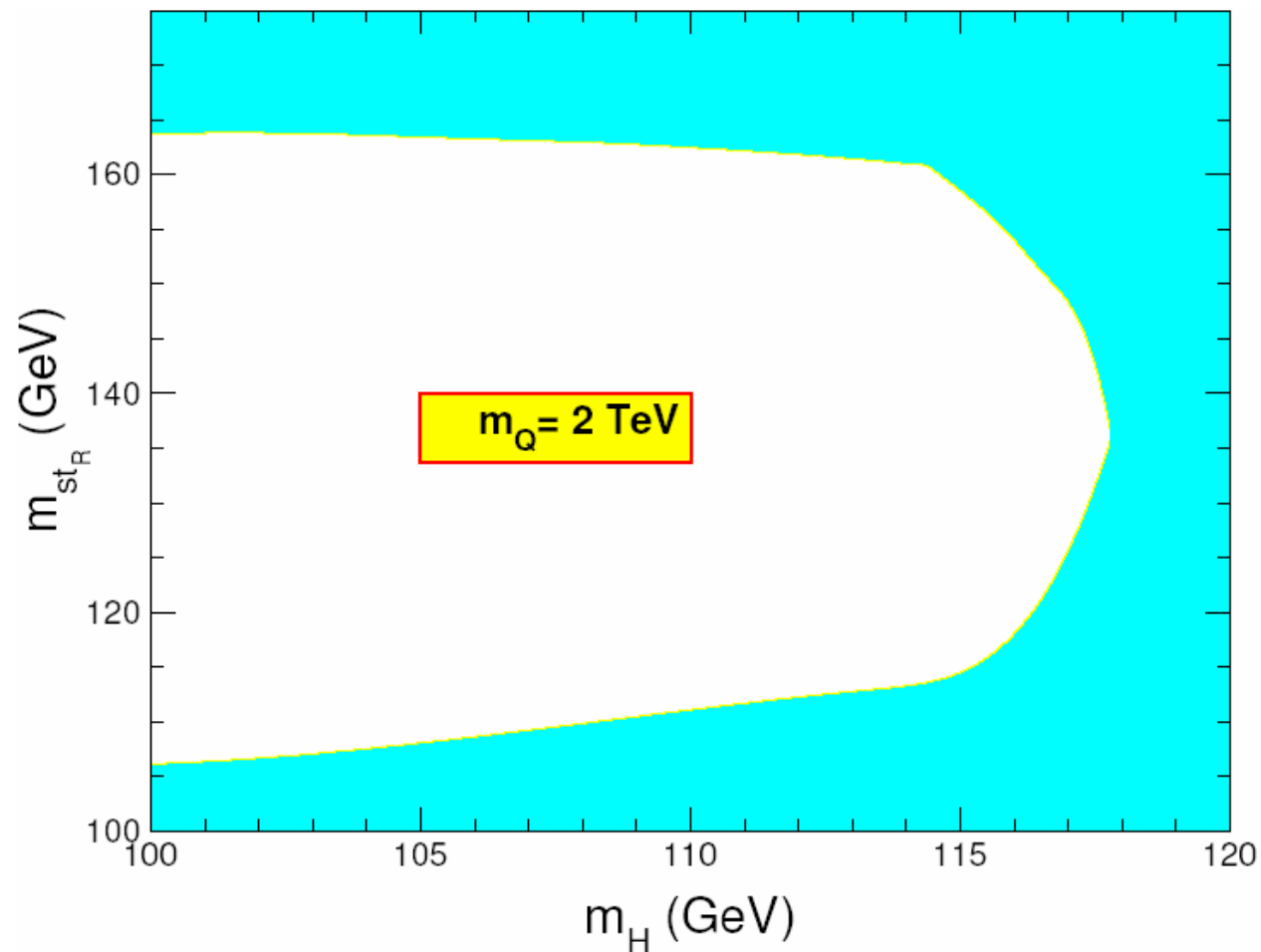
- Radiative corrections affect mostly the hierarchy of diagonal masses in stop mass matrix

$$M^2 = \begin{bmatrix} m_Q^2 + m_t^2 & m_t (A_t - \mu \cot\beta) \\ m_t (A_t - \mu \cot\beta) & m_U^2 + m_t^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Large stop mixing induced by off-diagonal elements in stop mass matrix

# Higgs and Stop mass limits Electroweak baryogenesis

Carena, Quiros, C.W. '98





# Tevatron Stop Reach for charginos lighter than stops

Dominant channel always that two body decay of stop into chargino is open :  $m_{\tilde{t}} > m_b + m_{\tilde{\chi}^+}$

Signatures similar to top pair production:

**b + l + jets + miss. E**

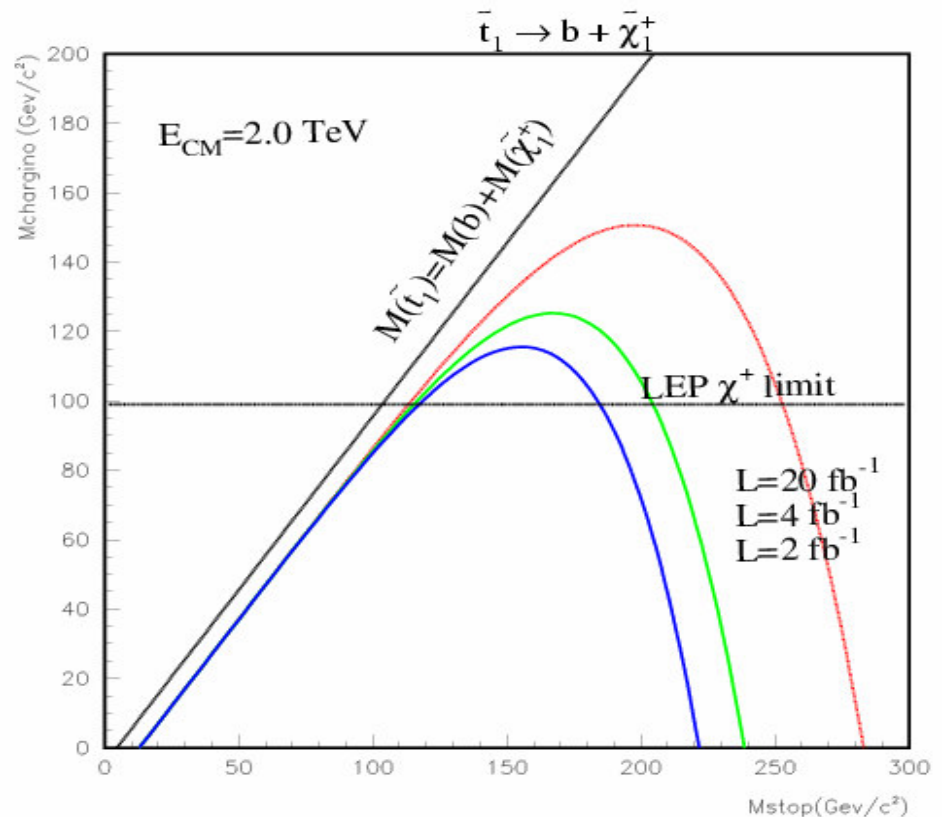
Isolated lepton with  $p_T > 10$  GeV

Two jets with  $E_T > 12, 8$  GeV

One of the jets b - tagged

No isolated lepton pairs

Missing  $E_T > 25$  GeV



Demina, Lykken, Matchev, Nomerotsky '99

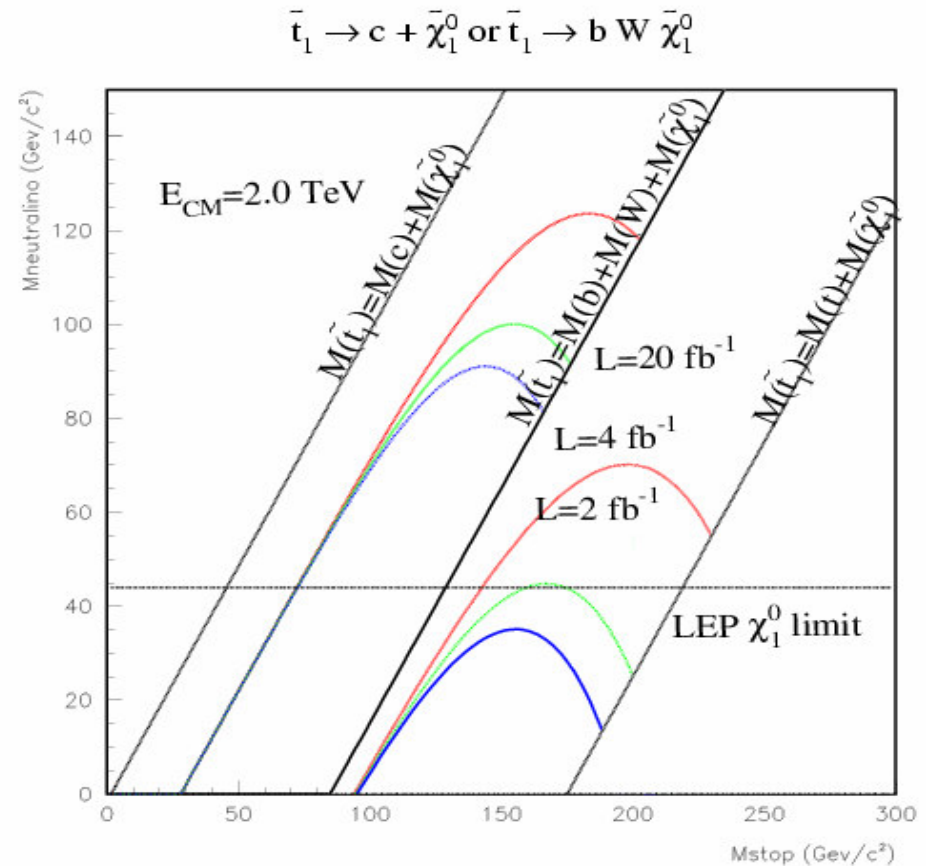
# Tevatron Stop Reach when two body decay channel is dominant

Main signature:

2 or more jets plus  
missing energy

2 or more Jets with  $E_T > 15 \text{ GeV}$

Missing  $E_T > 35 \text{ GeV}$



Demina, Lykken, Matchev, Nomerotsky '99

# Stop-Neutralino Mass Difference: Information from the Cosmos

- If the neutralino provides the observed dark matter relic density, then it must be stable and lighter than the light stop.
- Relic density depends on size of neutralino annihilation cross section.

If only stops, charginos and neutralinos are light, there are three main annihilation channels:

1. Coannihilation of neutralino with light stop. Small mass difference.
2. s-channel annihilation via light CP-even Higgs boson
3. s-channel annihilation via heavy CP-even Higgs boson and CP-odd Higgs boson

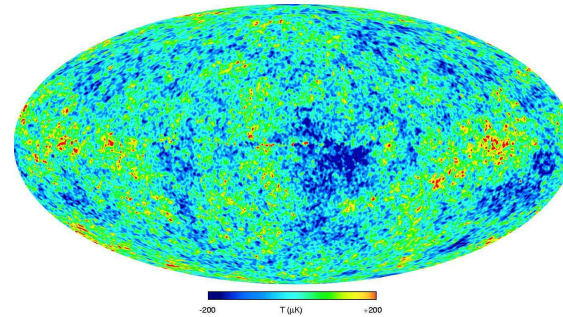
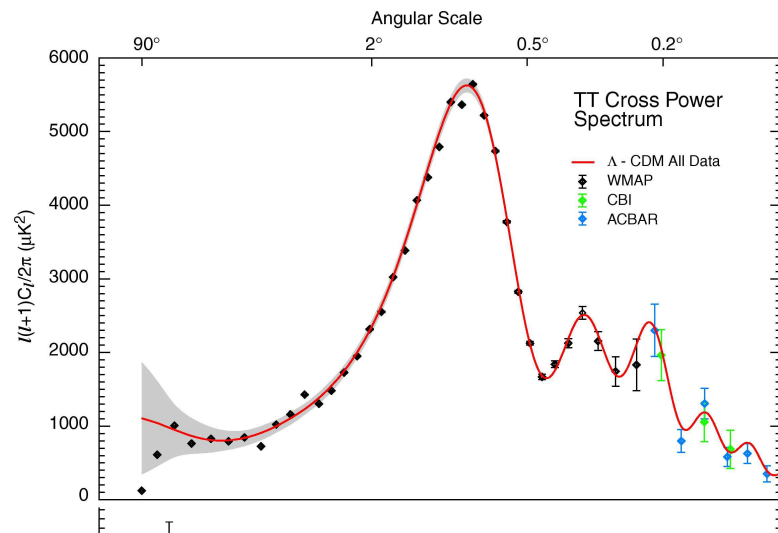
# Cosmic Microwave Background WMAP

$$h=0.71\pm0.04$$

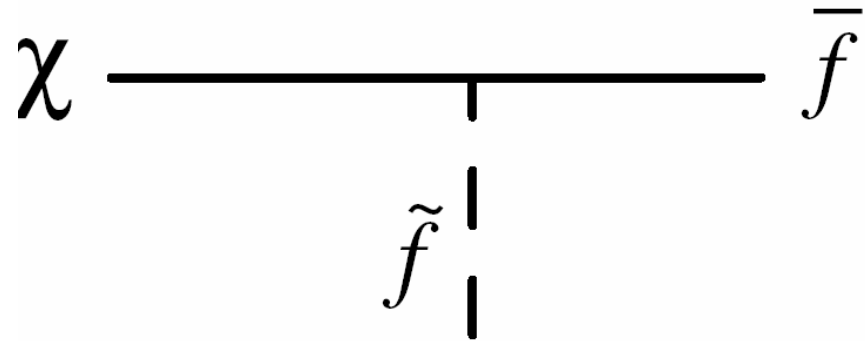
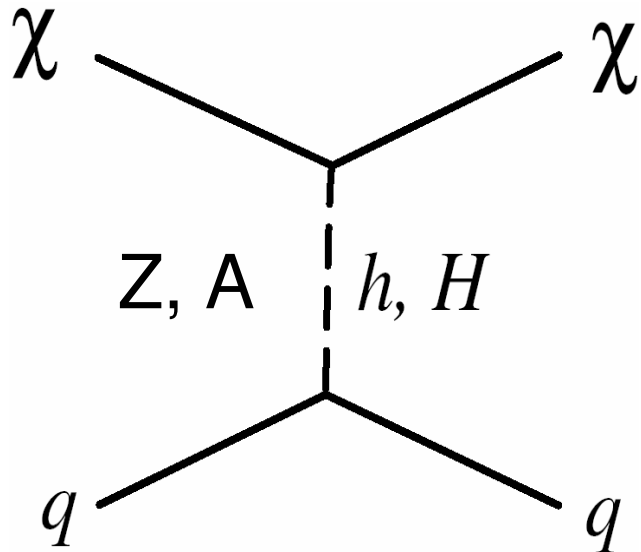
$$\Omega_M h^2=0.135\pm0.009$$

$$\Omega_B h^2=0.0224\pm0.0009$$

$$\Omega_{\text{tot}}=1.02\pm0.02$$



# Main Annihilation Channels



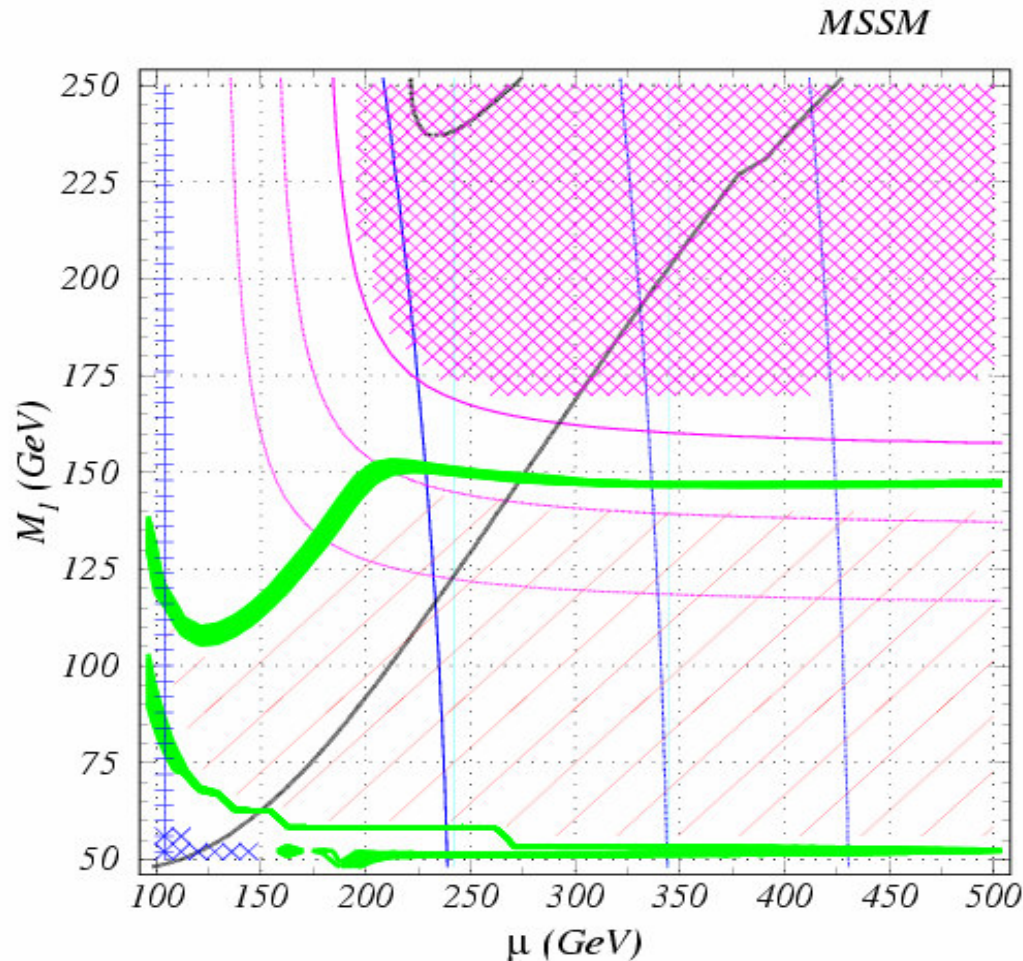
Z channel annihilation into any quarks and leptons

Higgs channel annihilation mostly into bottom quarks

Due to enhanced couplings, H-induced cross section much larger than h-induced one ( $\tan^2 \beta$  enhancement)

# Light Stops and Dark Matter in the MSSM

Carena, Balazs and C.W. '04



*Input parameters:*

$$\tan\beta = 10, m_A = 500 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{U3} = 0 \text{ GeV}, m_{Q3} = 1.5 \text{ TeV}, X_t = 0.7 \text{ TeV}$$

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$$m_{L3}, m_{E3}, m_{D3} \approx 1 \text{ TeV}$$

$$m_{L1,2}, m_{E1,2} = 0.25 \text{ TeV}$$

$$m_{Q1,2}, m_{D1,2}, m_{U1,2} \approx 1.2 \text{ TeV}$$

*Legend:*

$$\times m_{Zl} < 46 \text{ GeV} \quad + m_{Wl} < 103.5 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\times \text{stop LSP} \quad \text{red hatched} \quad \Omega h^2 > 0.129$$

$$\text{green band} \quad 0.095 < \Omega h^2 < 0.129$$

$$\sigma_{si} = \underline{1E-06} \quad \underline{1E-07} \quad \underline{1E-08} \text{ pb}$$

$$m_{Zl} = \underline{160} \quad \underline{140} \quad \underline{120} \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{tl} = \underline{164} \quad \underline{169} \quad \underline{174} \text{ GeV}$$

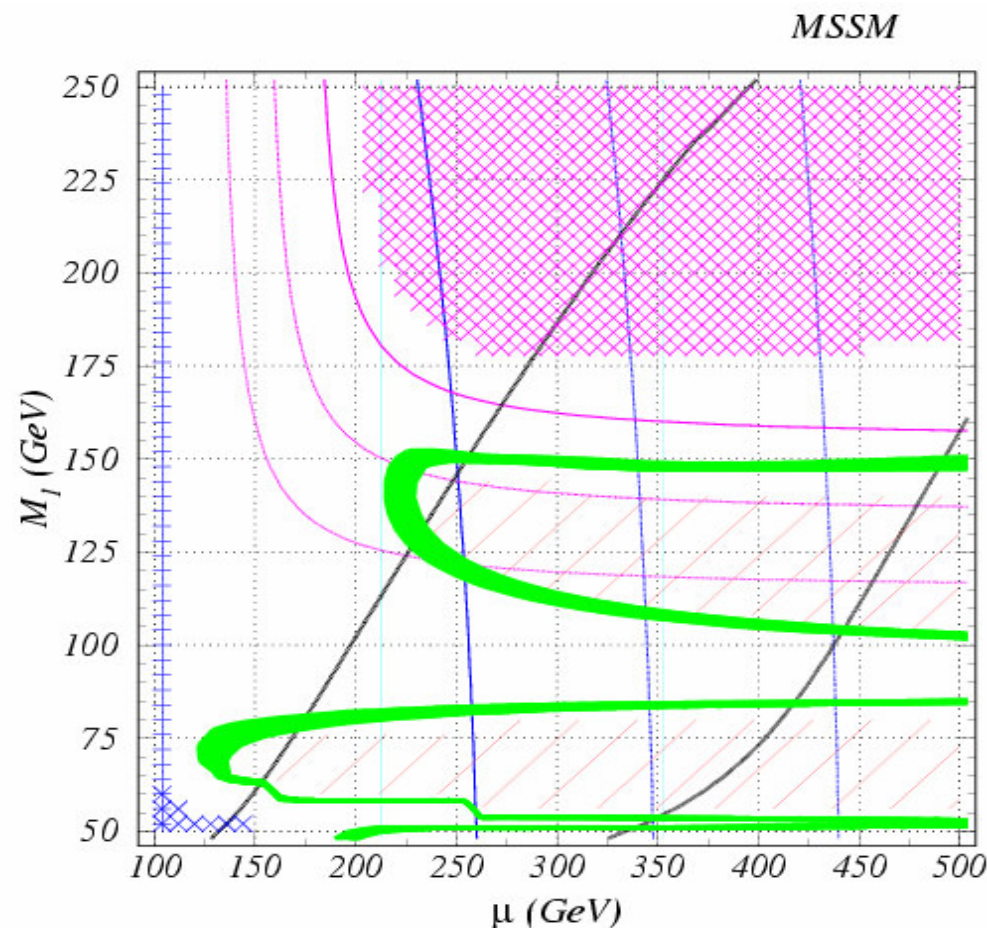
$$m_h = \underline{117.64} \quad \underline{117.65} \text{ GeV}$$

$$a_\mu^{USY} = \underline{6.6439E-06} \quad \underline{1.32864E-05} \quad 1.99289$$



# Light Stop and Dark Matter for small values of the CP-odd Higgs mass

Carena, Balazs and C.W. '04



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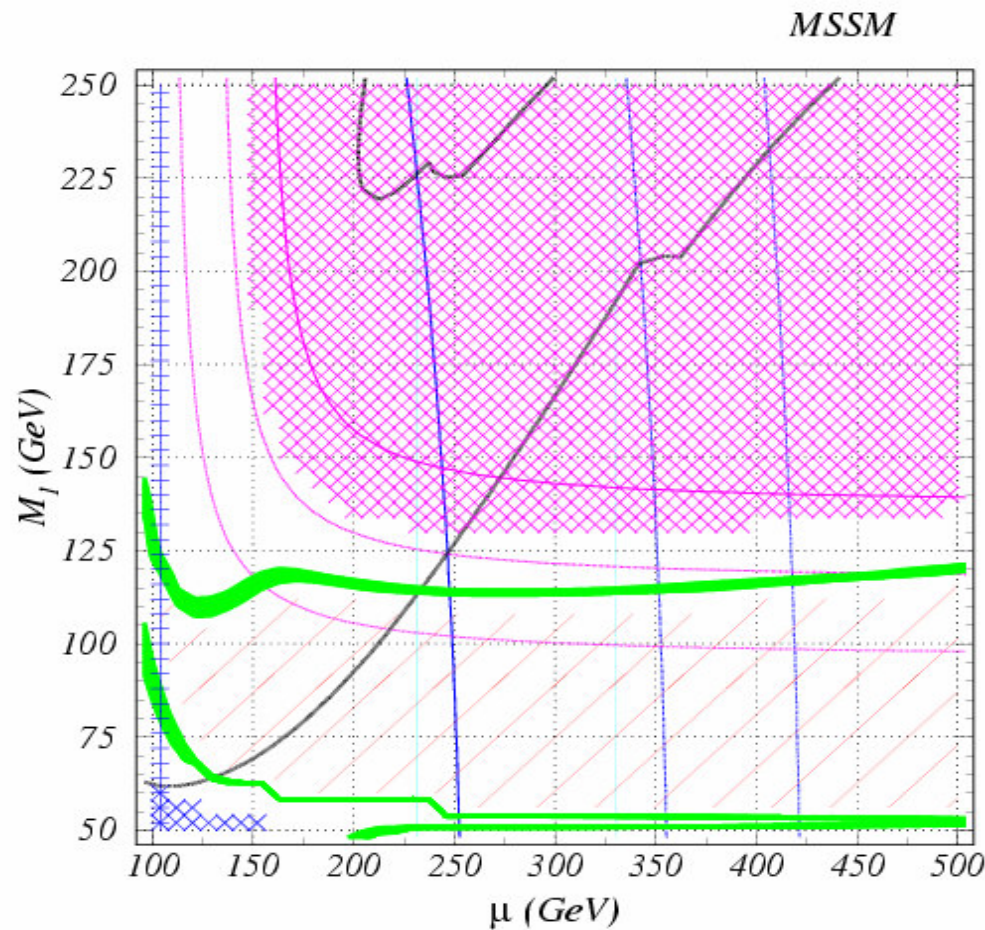
$$m_{tl} = \begin{matrix} 172 & 176 & 181 \text{ GeV} \end{matrix}$$

$$m_h = \begin{matrix} 117.19 & 117.3 \text{ GeV} \end{matrix}$$

$$a_\mu^{USY} = \begin{matrix} -2.1614E-06 & -1.3302E-06 & -4.989E-06 \end{matrix}$$

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$$\sigma_{si} = \begin{matrix} 1E-06 & 1E-07 & 1E-08 \text{ pb} \end{matrix}$$

$$m_{Zl} = \begin{matrix} 140 & 120 & 100 \text{ GeV} \end{matrix}$$

$$m_{tl} = \begin{matrix} 125 & 129 & 132 \text{ GeV} \end{matrix}$$

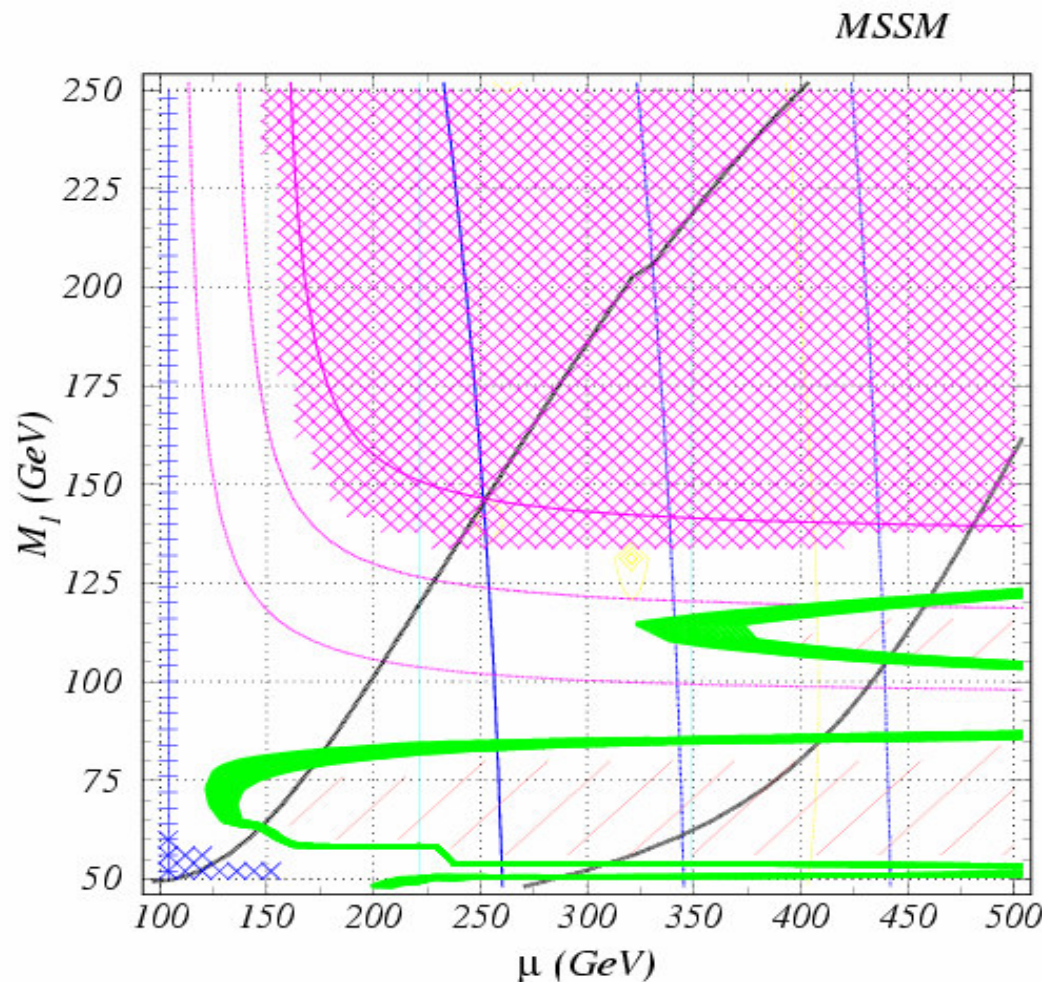
$$m_h = 114.74 \quad 114.75 \text{ GeV}$$

$$a_\mu^{USY} = \begin{matrix} 4.55E-08 & 8.99E-08 & 1.343E-07 \end{matrix}$$



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$$m_h = \underline{114.32} \quad \underline{114.42} \text{ GeV}$$

$$a_\mu^{USY} = \underline{-2.1E-09} \quad \underline{-4E-10} \quad \underline{1.3E-09}$$

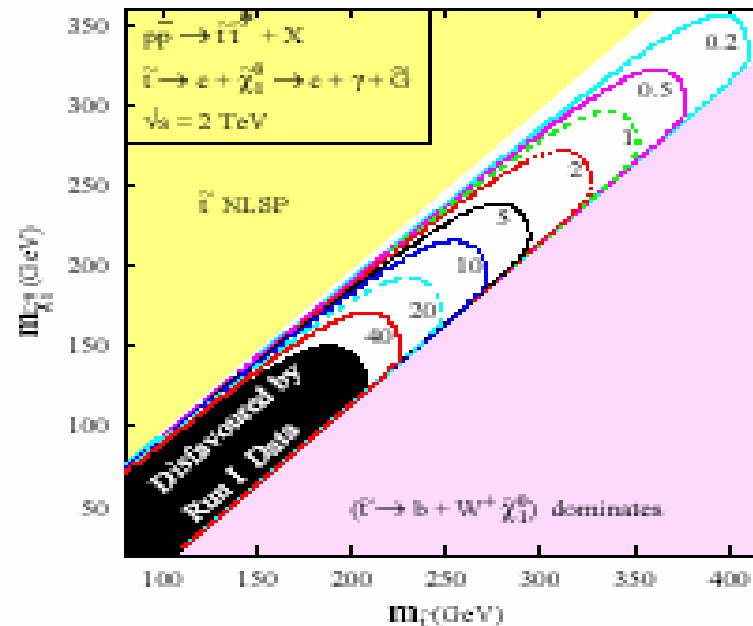
# Searches of light stop plus neutralino dark matter

- Stop-neutralino coannihilation region difficult due to reduced cross section or small stop-neutralino mass difference
- s-channel Higgs or Z annihilation regions simpler, so far two-body decay dominant
- In region where s-channel annihilation via lightest CP-even Higgs, trilepton channel open (Test chargino masses up to 130 GeV)

# Tevatron stop searches in low-energy SUSY breaking models

Carena, Choudhury, Diaz,  
Logan and C.W. '02

Extra photon and large  
missing energy helpful  
in stop detection



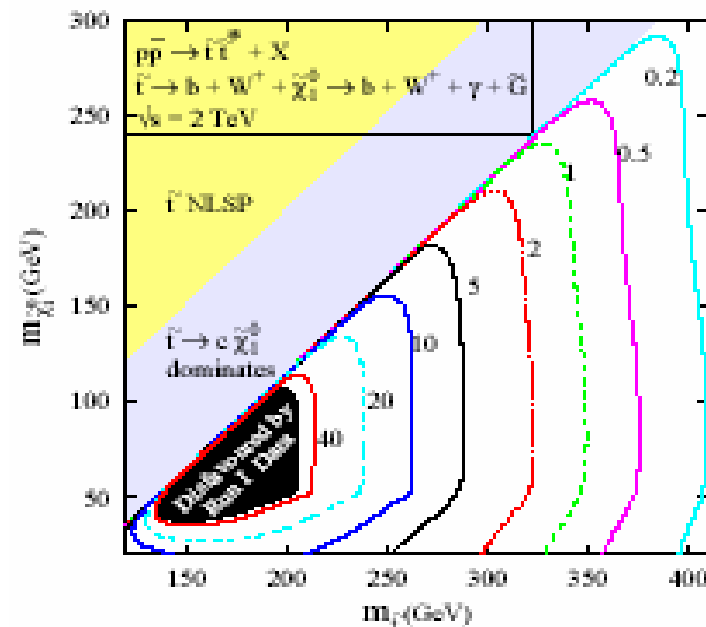
Cross sections for stop pair production  
in  $fb$ , with  $\tilde{t} \rightarrow c\gamma\tilde{G}$  and Signal/selection  
 $jj\gamma\gamma E_T$

$\int \mathcal{L}$	$\sigma_S \ 5\sigma$	Max. $m_{\tilde{t}}$ (2 body)
$2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	6 fb	290 GeV
$4 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	3.5 fb	315 GeV

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Cross sections for stop pair production in  
 $fb$ , with  $\tilde{t} \rightarrow bW\gamma\tilde{G}$  and Signal/selection  
 $bbW W\gamma\gamma E_T$

$\int \mathcal{L}$	$\sigma_S$	Max. $m_{\tilde{t}}$ (3 body)
$2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	$2.5 \text{ fb}$	$315 \text{ GeV}$
$4 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	$1.3 \text{ fb}$	$330 \text{ GeV}$

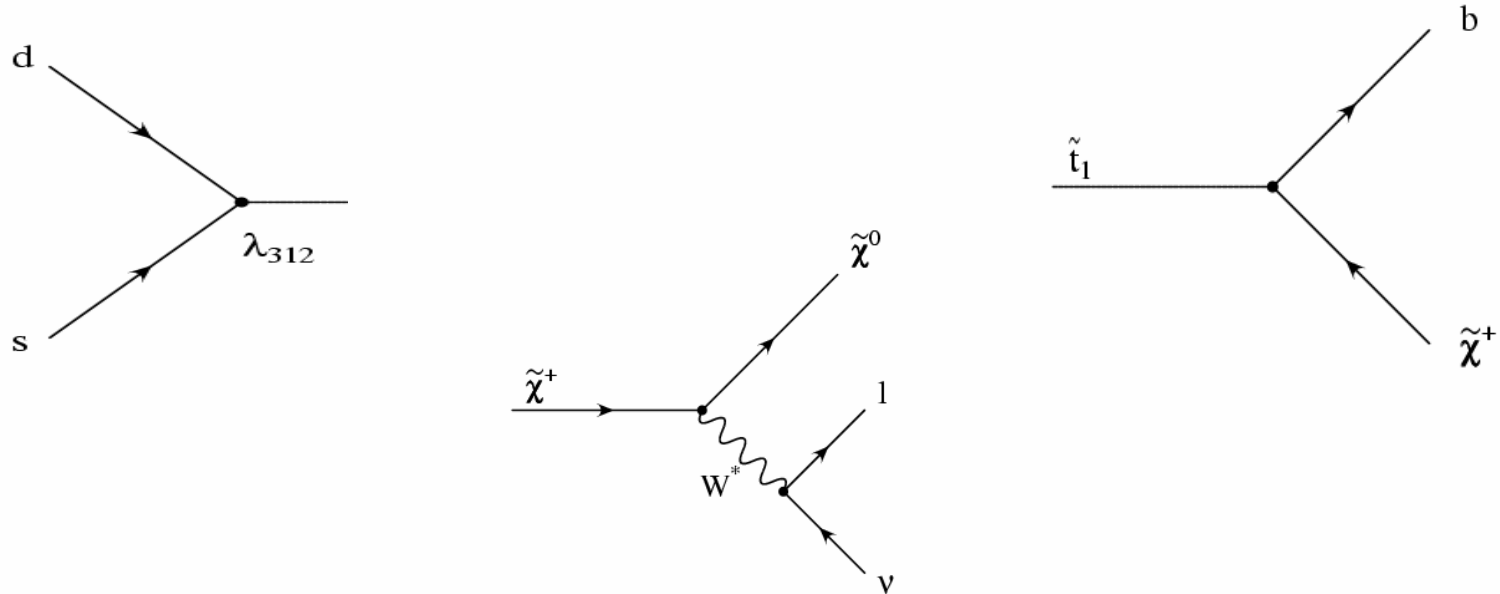
# R-Parity breaking scenario

- Relevant interactions:  
Baryon number violating ones

$$W_{\text{R.P.B.}} = \lambda_{ijk}'' U_i D_j D_k$$

- An up-squark interacts with two down-quarks.  
 $i, j, k$  are generation indices.
- Color contraction implies that down-quark generation indices must be different.  
Stop :  $i = 3$ .

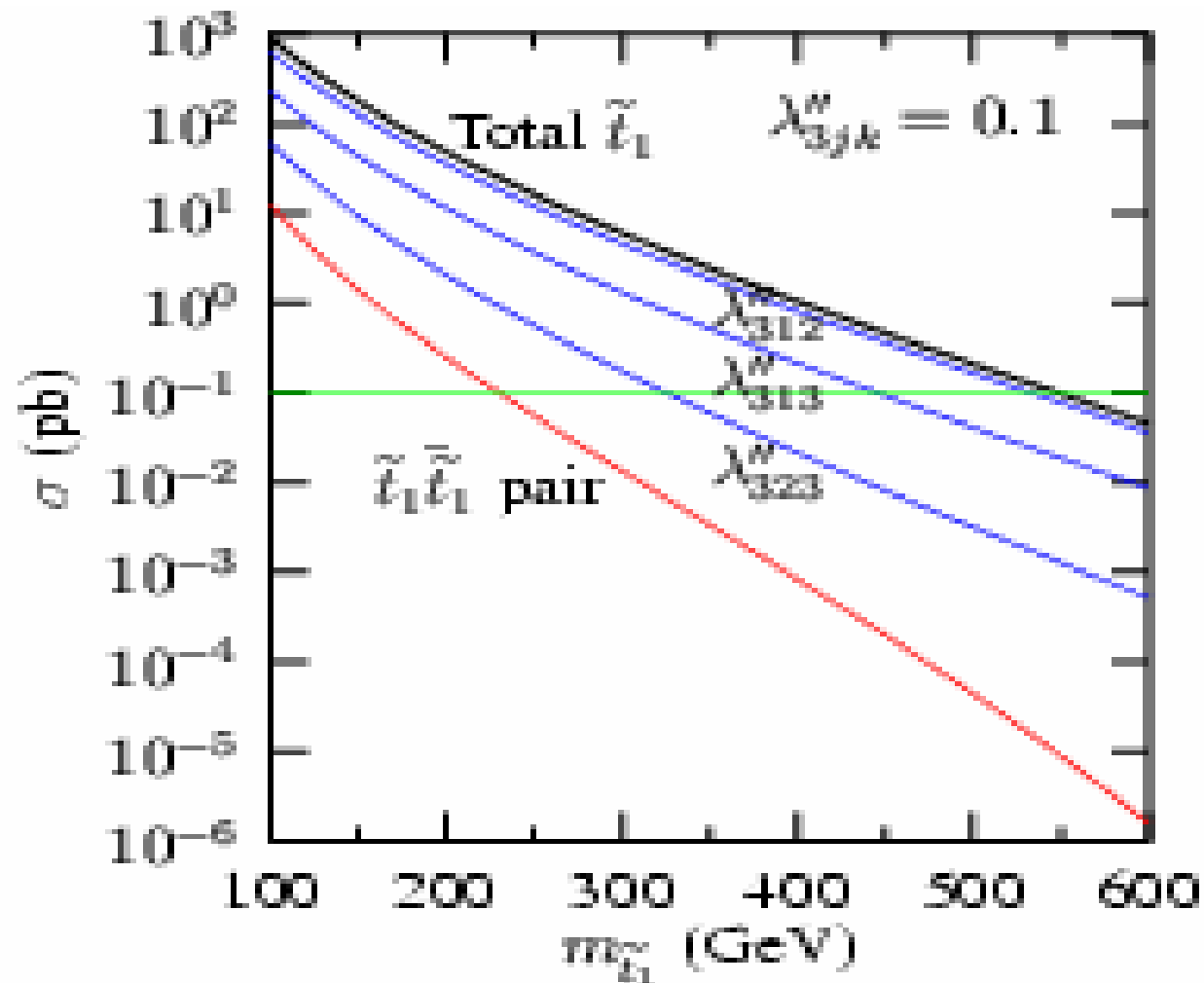
# Dominant production and decay modes



For relevant production rates, dominant decay is either into R-Parity violating modes, or into a bottom and a chargino

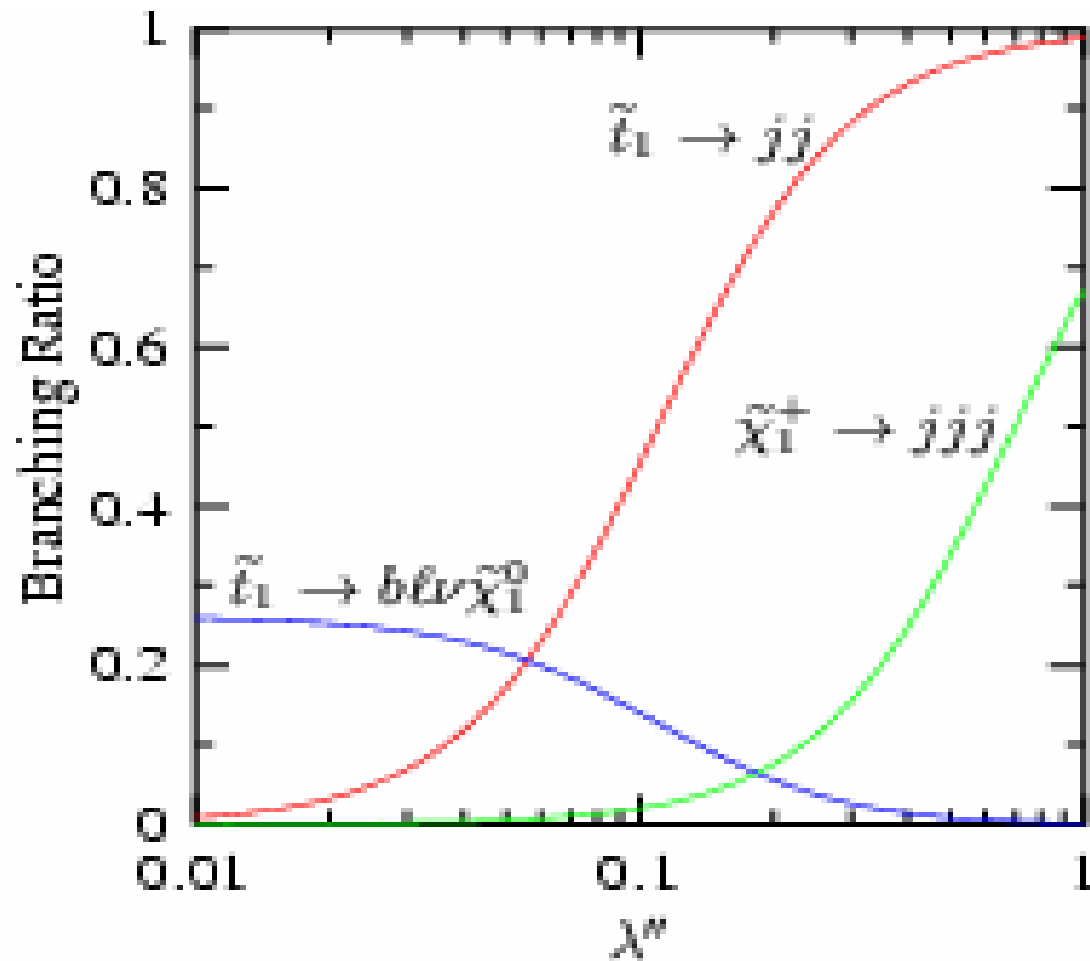
# Cross section for stop production in the presence of R-Parity violation

Berger, Harris and Sullivan '01



# Branching Ratio of Stop decays

Berger, Harris and Sullivan '01





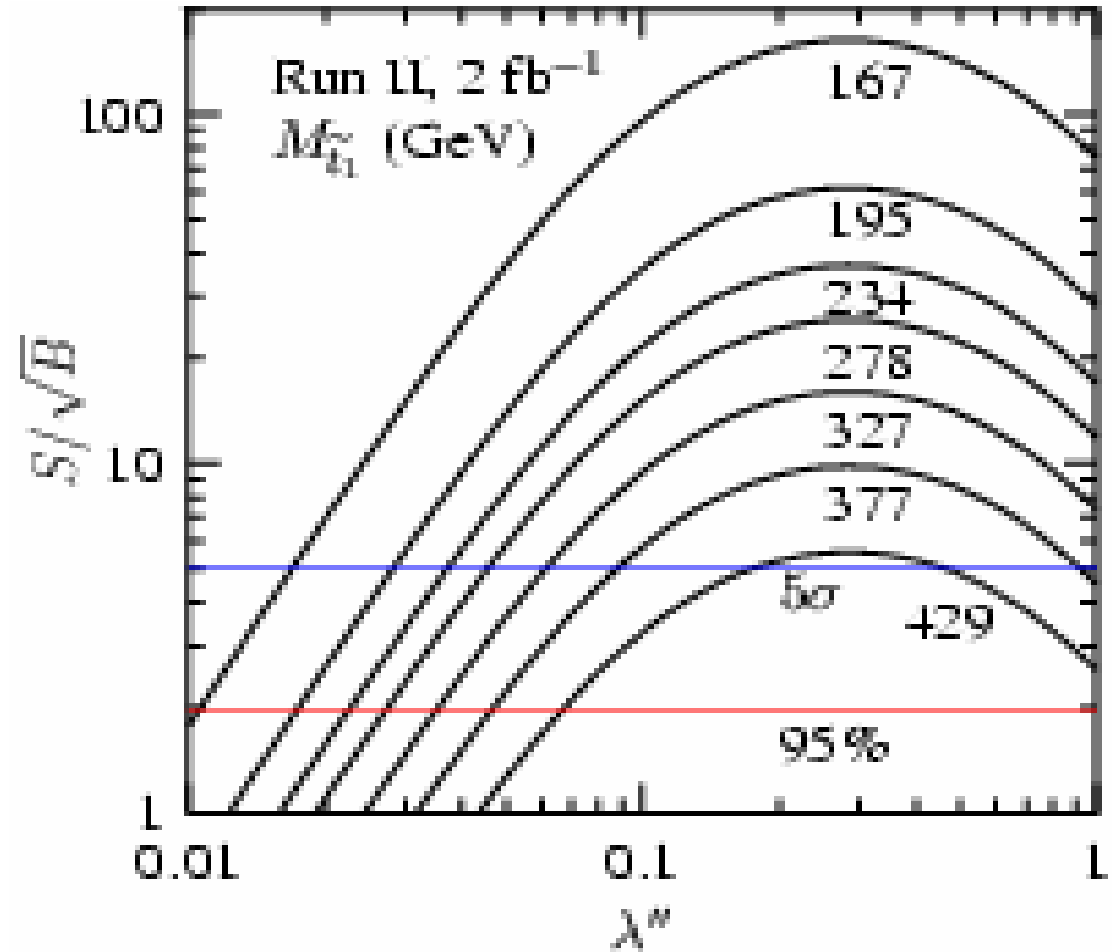
# Search Strategy

- Only R-parity conserving decay searched for, with leptons in final state. Cross section increases with R-Parity violating coupling, but Branching Ratio decreases
- Signal for stop production is  $b + l + \text{Miss. Energy}$
- Large backgrounds from  $W + \text{jet}$  production and single top
- Mass peak reconstructed with mass definition  $M_T^{\text{bl}} + \text{Miss. Energy}$  which is centered at  $m_{\tilde{t}} - m_{\tilde{\chi}} + 5 \text{ GeV}$

# Stop reach with R-Parity violation

Berger, Harris and Sullivan '01

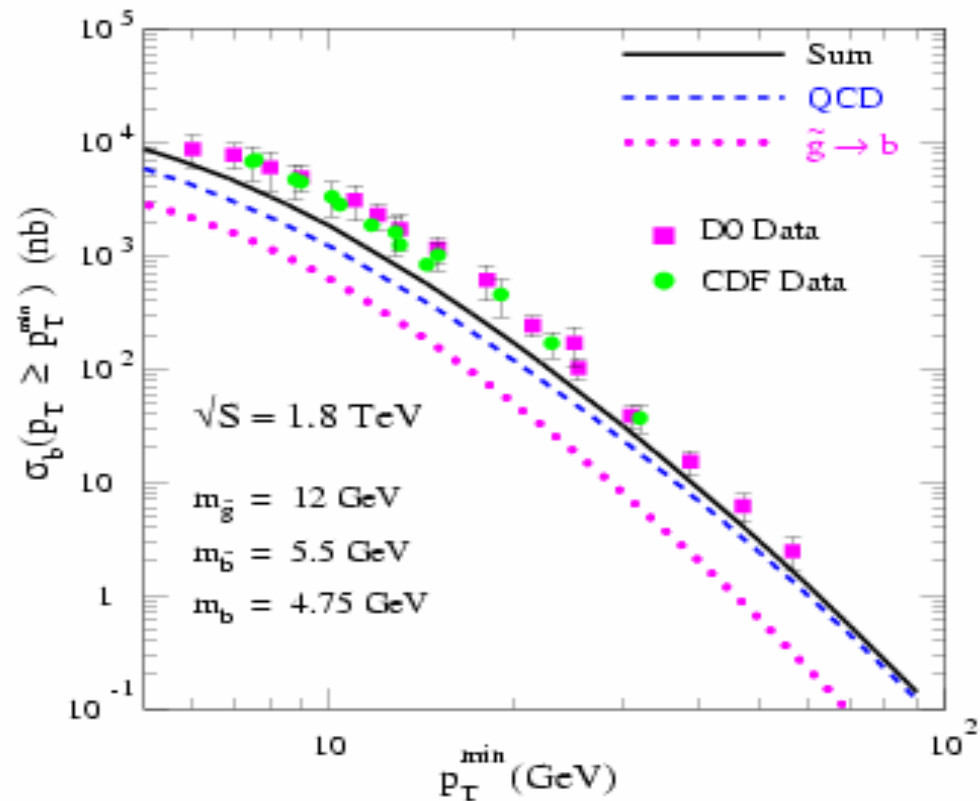
Stops with masses up to 350 GeV may be easily discovered at the Tevatron collider



# Light Sbottom and Light Gluinos

Motivation: Discrepancy between Theory and Experiment in inclusive bottom-quark cross section.

Berger, Harris, Kaplan,  
Sullivan, Tait, Wagner '01

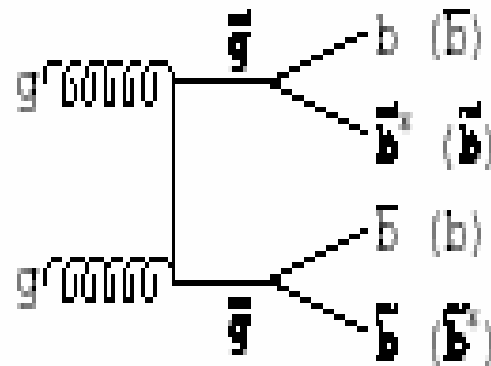


Extra bottom-quarks obtained  
from gluino decays !

# Gluinos are Majorana Particles

Gluinos can decay either into bottom or antibottoms at equal rates.

Equal sign bottom-quark pairs at production level



# Equal bottom-quark pairs in SM

- Obtained from oscillations between different B-meson states
- Total value of time integrated mixing probability is such that measured at lepton colliders to be close to

$$\chi = 0.118 \pm 0.005$$

- Here  $2\chi(1-\chi)$  is the amount of equal sign bb pairs.
- Prediction at Tevatron collider

$$\chi = 0.160 \pm 0.020$$

Berger, Harris, Kaplan,  
Sullivan, Tait, Wagner '01

- Recent CDF measurement

$$\chi = 0.152 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.011$$

hep-ex/0309030

# New Heavy Quarks

- Motivation: Arrange the difference between value of weak mixing angle obtained from lepton and hadron asymmetries at LEP and SLD
- New heavy mirror quarks, with the same quantum numbers as doublet of quarks and right-handed down quark, with relevant mixing with third generation quarks in the right-handed currents
- Masses constrained to be below 300 GeV, with top-prime quark mass being 0.8 times the bottom-prime mass.

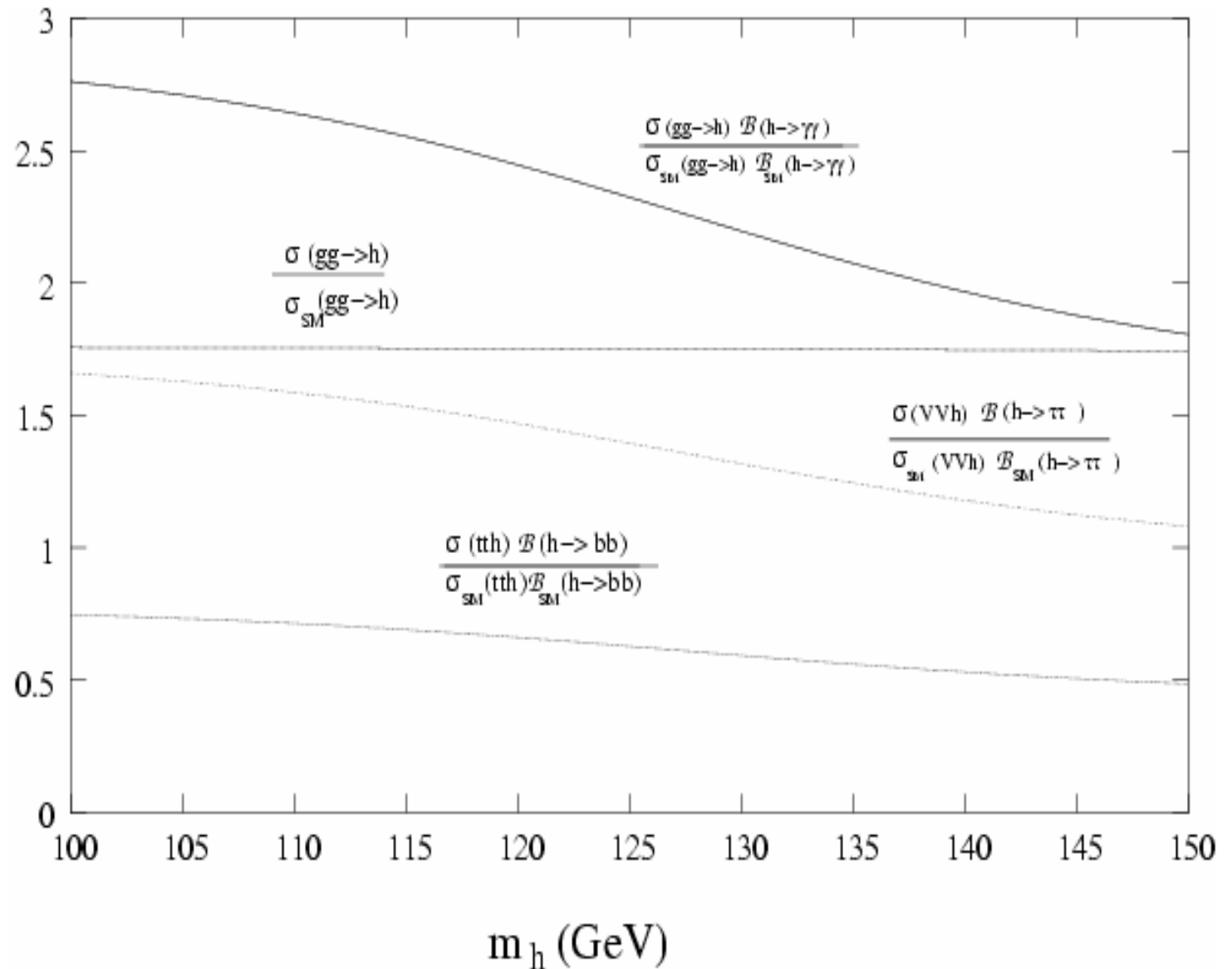
Choudhury, Tait, C.W. '02

# Bottom-quark -- Heavy Quark Mixing Effects

- Most relevant implications in Higgs physics
- Effective bottom-quark Yukawa coupling reduced by about 20 percent. For light Higgs bosons, branching ratio of decay into tau leptons increased.
- New loop contributions in gluon fusion diagram, increase Higgs production cross section.  
Particularly important for Higgs searches in  $W W$  and tau lepton pair modes

# Most relevant Higgs production modes

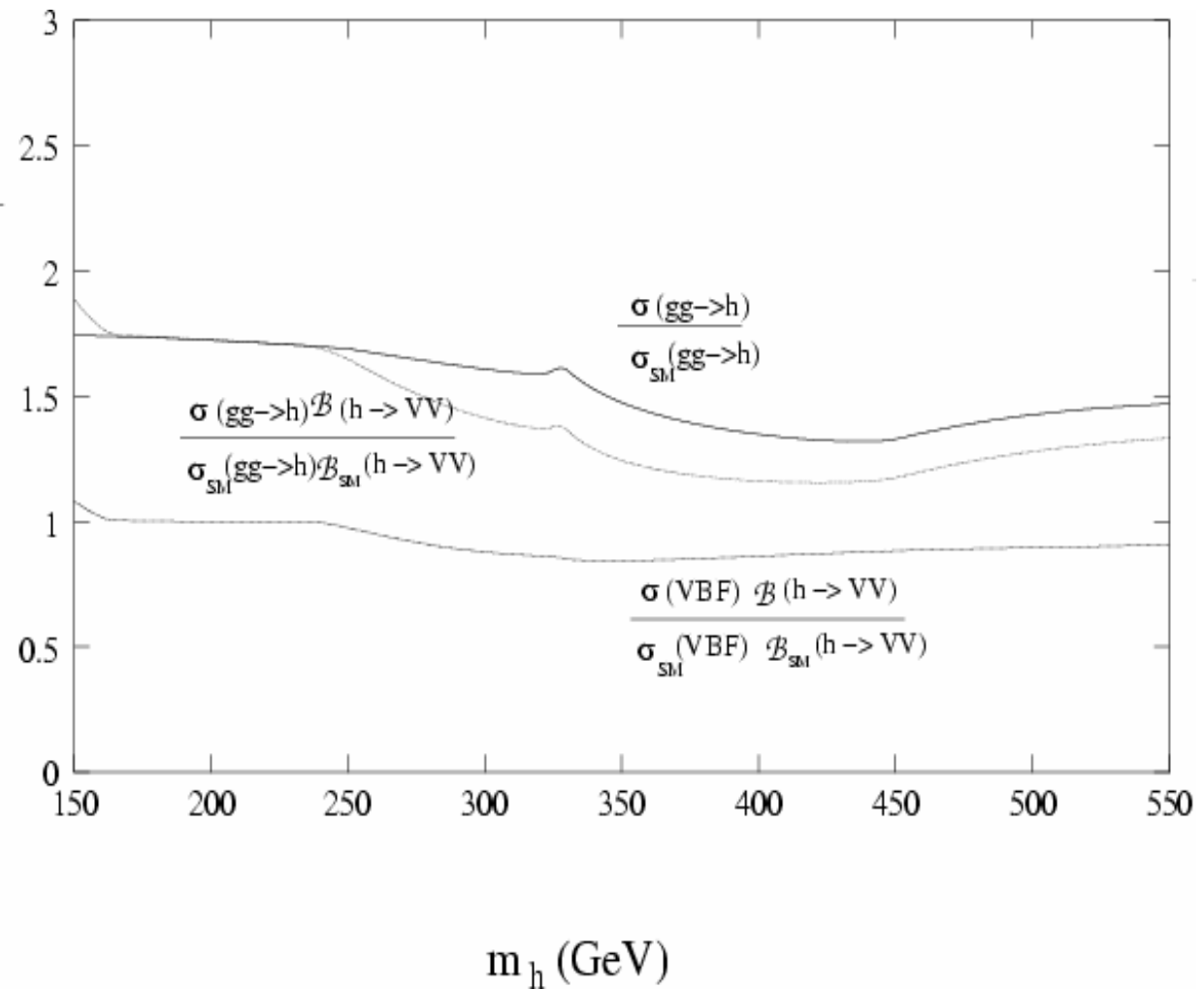
Morrissey  
and C.W. '03





# Production mode for heavy Higgs bosons

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and C.W. '03



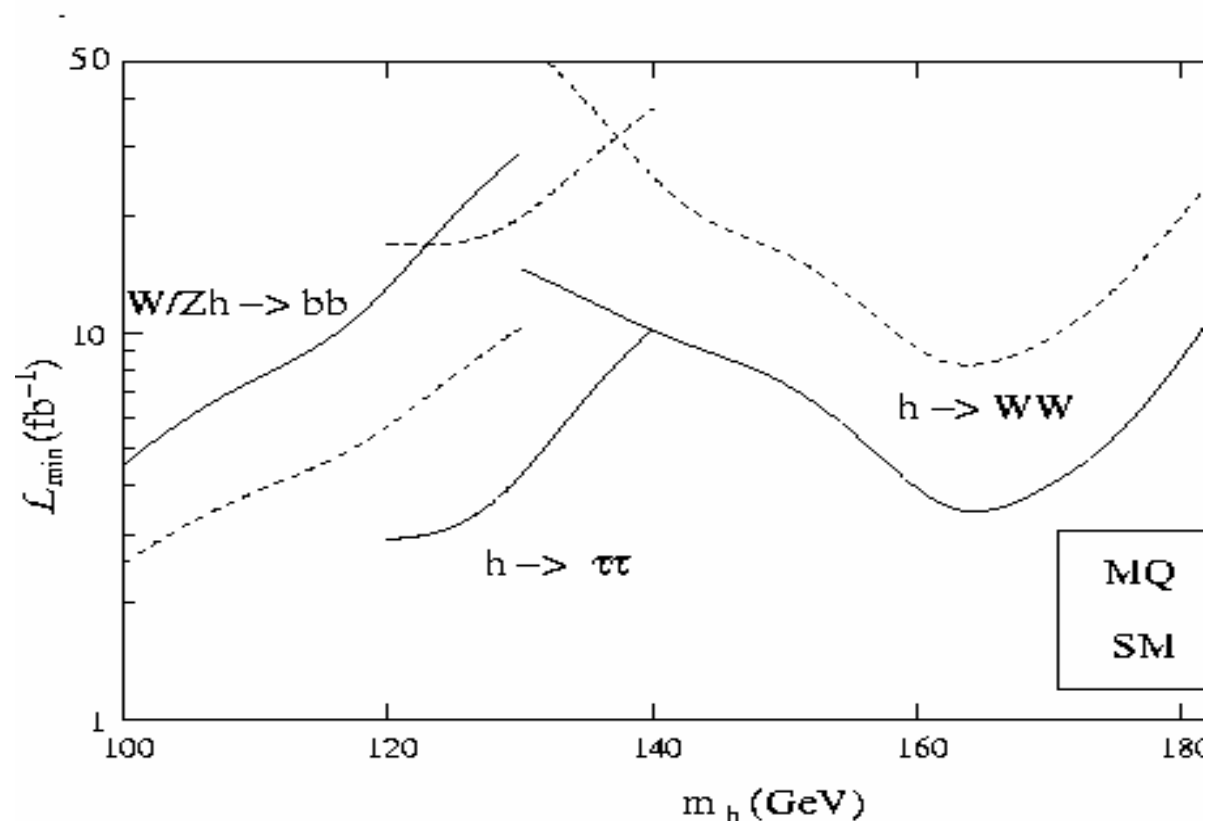
# Luminosity required for a 3 sigma evidence of a Higgs boson at the Tevatron collider

Tau-lepton channel becomes dominant in low mass region.

Solid line: With extra quarks. Dashed line: SM

Morrissey  
and C.W. '03

Results make  
use of Tevatron  
Higgs study and  
of Belyaev, Han,  
Rosenfeld '03.



# Search for heavy quarks at the Tevatron

- Top prime has a mass below 250 GeV.
- Bottom prime has a mass below 300 GeV.
- Since bottom-prime is heavier than top-prime and due to large mixing, dominant decay mode of top-prime is into a W and a b

$$t' \rightarrow b W^+$$

- Similar to top quark searches. Top: Irreducible background. Top-prime must be looked for in the top data.
- Based on simple counting experiment

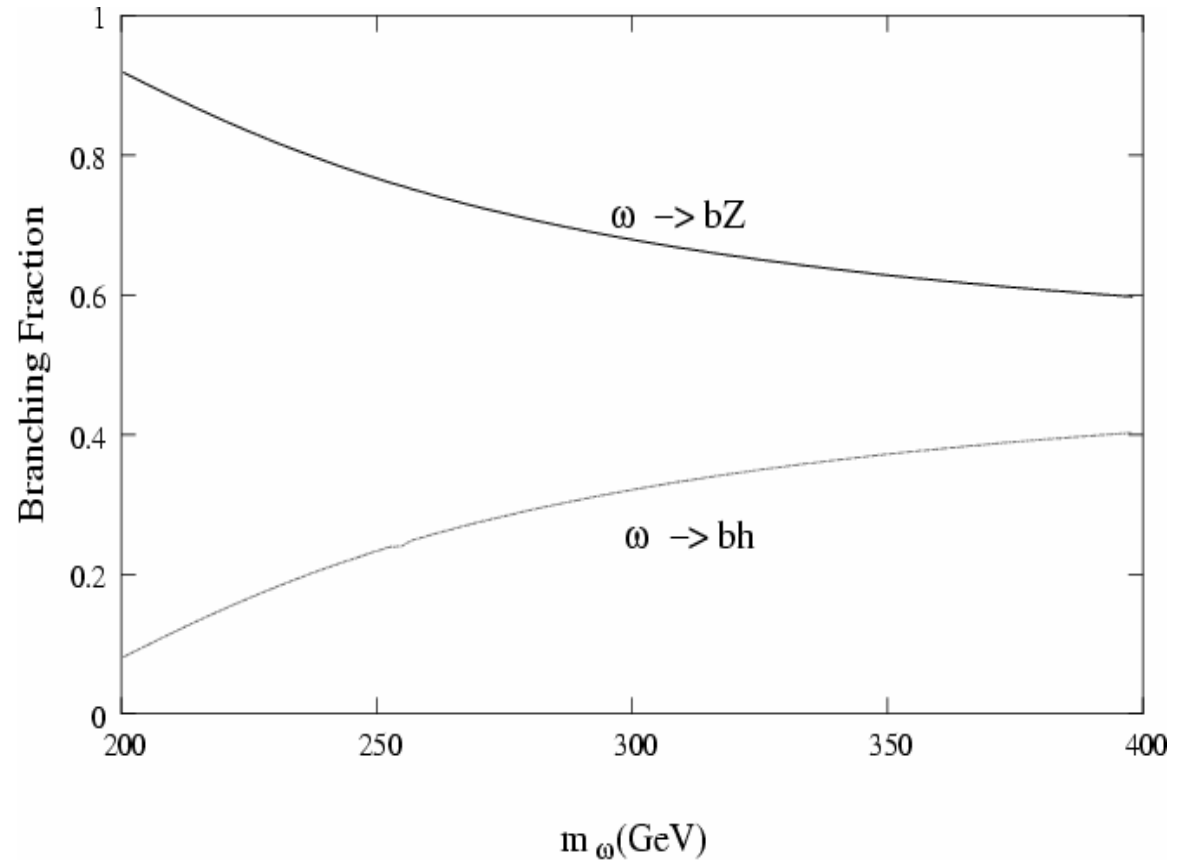
$$m_{t'} < 250 \text{ GeV} \quad \text{with } 4 \text{ fb}^{-1}$$

# Decay of modes heavy bottom-prime $\omega$

- Due to large mixing, bottom-prime decay mostly into Z-gauge bosons and bottom-quarks.

Morrissey  
and C.W. '03

$$m_h = 170 \text{ GeV}$$



# Reach of Tevatron Collider

- Bottom-prime have been searched for in decays into Z and b-quarks. Present limit: 200 GeV
- Estimates base on extrapolation of Run I analysis show that Tevatron with 4 inverse fb can discover such quarks up to masses

$$m_{\omega} < 300 \text{ GeV}$$

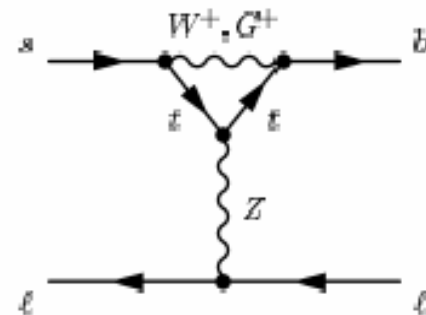
- Detailed analysis of signal and background has been done by Troy and Rosner '03, with similar results.

# $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ as a probe of $\tan \beta$ at the Tevatron

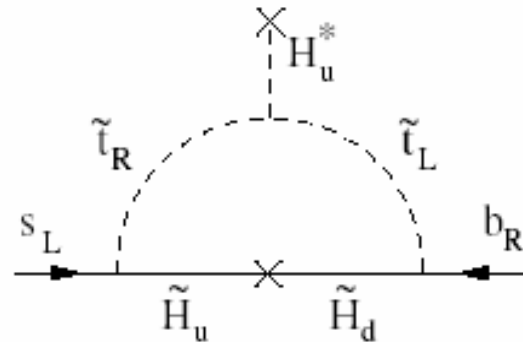
SM sample diagram:

SM amplitude  $\propto V_{ts} \frac{m_\mu}{M_W}$

$$Br(B \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)_{\text{SM}} = (3.8 \pm 1.0) \times 10^{-9}$$



■ In the MSSM, with two Higgs doublets, the Higgs Mediated contribution can put this BR at the reach of the Tevatron!



After SUSY breakdown, new contributions to d-type quark masses are generated even in a Minimal Flavor Model (CKM-induced)

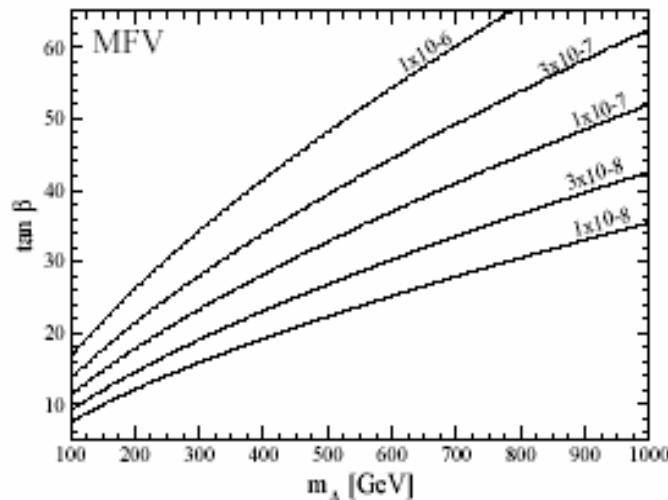
$$Br(B \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)_{\text{MSSM}} \propto \tan^6 \beta \frac{1}{M_{A^0}^2} f(\mu A_t, M_{\tilde{t}_1}, M_{\tilde{\chi}_1^+})$$

where  $f \rightarrow \text{const.} \neq 0$  for  $M_{\text{SUSY}} \rightarrow \infty$ .

Babu, Kolda

$\Rightarrow$  branching fraction can be enhanced by **three** orders of magnitude!

Contours of Maximum allowed value of  $Br(B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu)$  as a function of  $M_A$  and  $\tan\beta$ .



- $Br(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-) < 2.6 \cdot 10^{-6}$  from Run 1.
- Single event sensitivity at Run 2 is  $10^{-8}$  for  $2 fb^{-1}$

Kane, Kolda, Lennon

If a signature is observed at the Tevatron  $\Rightarrow$  lower bound on the value of  $\tan\beta$

$$\tan\beta > 11 \left( \frac{M_A}{100 GeV} \right)^{2/3} \left[ \frac{Br(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)}{10^{-7}} \right]^{1/6}$$

Interesting to study direct reach in  $M_A$  via  $b\bar{b}$  A/H production for large  $\tan\beta$  and reach in  $Br(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)$  for different sets of MSSM parameters

# Conclusions

- Tevatron is exploring the higher energy frontier available up to now in particle physics experiments
- Many interesting models predict signatures of new physics at the Tevatron collider
- In most cases, relevant signals demand at least one inverse fb, showing that things may become very exciting in the years to come

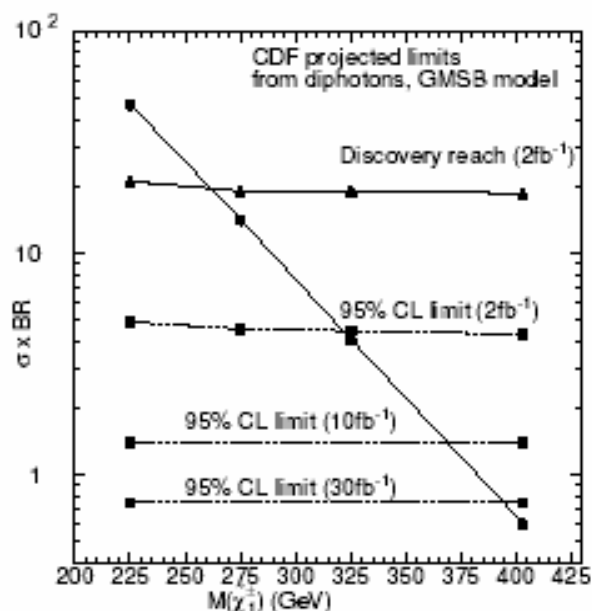


## Gauge-Mediated Tevatron Reach

### ■ Bino-like NLSP: $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \gamma \tilde{G}$

Signal:  $\gamma\gamma X \cancel{E}_T$

$X = \ell$ 's and/or jets

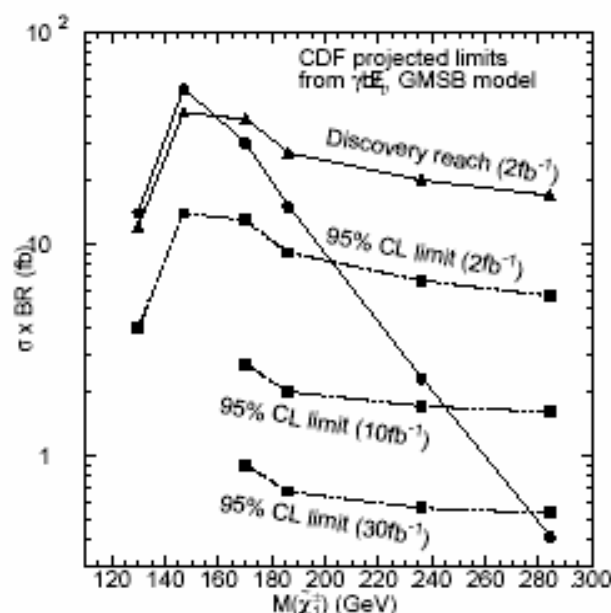


$M_{\tilde{\chi}^\pm} \sim 325 \text{ GeV}$  (*exclusion*) &  
 $\sim 260 \text{ GeV}$  (*discovery*)

### ■ Higgsino-like NLSP: $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow (h, Z, \gamma) \tilde{G}$

Signal:  $\gamma b \cancel{E}_T X$

diboson signatures ( $Z \rightarrow \ell\ell/\text{jj}$ ;  $h \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ )  $\cancel{E}_T$



$M_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$  sensitivity up to 200 GeV for  $2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

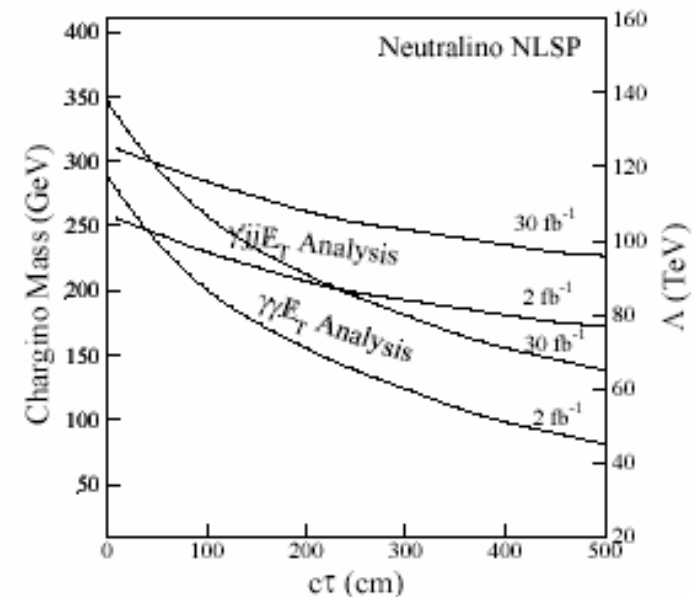
- Non-prompt Decays

- Few  $100 \text{ TeV} \leq \sqrt{F} \leq \text{few } 1000 \text{ TeV}$

- Bino-like NLSP

Photon Pointing: it is possible to identify a displaced photon from a secondary vertex and possibly det. decay length using TOF

Meas. of decay length  $\rightarrow$  meas. of SUSY breaking scale



- Higgsino like-NLSP

$\Rightarrow$  displaced  $\gamma$ 's or secondary vertices from  $b\bar{b}$ ,  $jj$ ,  $\ell^+\ell^-$

Search for displaced Z's using large  $E_T$  displaced jet with finite impact parameter or displaced  $l$ 's should be explored.

- If  $\sqrt{F} \geq \text{few } 1000 \text{ TeV} \Rightarrow$  outside detector decay looks like traditional  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  LSP